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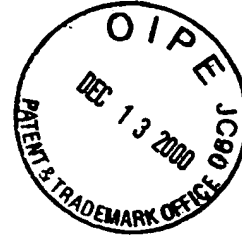
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please consider the remarks below:

REMARKS

Claims 1-20 are currently pending and stand rejected.

The applicants respond herein to the substantive paragraphs of the Official Action mailed on 08 June 2000. A petition for a three-month extension of time is enclosed.

The Official Action rejected claims 1-8 and 10-20 under § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wen in view of Takabayashi. Claim 9 stands rejected under § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wen in view of Takabayashi, further in view of Shpiro ('671). In response,